

REMARKS

The application presently stands subject to a restriction requirement for containing claims directed to the following species of the claimed invention, grouped by the Examiner as follows:

| <u>Species</u> | <u>Figure</u> |
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| I.             | 1             |
| II.            | 2             |
| III.           | 3             |
| IV.            | 4             |
| V.             | 5             |
| VI.            | 6             |

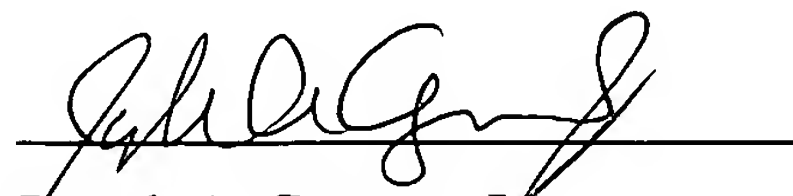
Applicants elect Species I. in Figure 1, with claims 1-36 readable thereon. Applicants understand that upon allowance of generic claims corresponding to the elected species, withdrawn species may be allowed as provided by 37 C.F.R. § 1.141.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request consideration and allowance of claims 1-36 and that the application proceed to allowance. The Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned at (617) 526-9800 to discuss any further issues in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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